

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Robert F. Bauer, Esquire Marc E. Elias, Esquire Perkins Coie 607 Fourteenth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005 NOV 1 8 2003

RE: MUR 5390

SER Inc. (d/b/a Galileo Restaurant)

Dear Messrs. Bauer and Elias:

This is in response to your letter dated November 13, 2003, which we received on that day, requesting an extension until December 13, 2003, to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. Although your request was made after the response was due the Office of General Counsel, after considering the circumstances presented in your letter and our responsibilities to act expeditiously in the conduct of investigation, we cannot grant your full request, but can only agree to an extension until December 9, 2003. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on December 9, 2003.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Alva E. Smith, Paralegal Central Enforcement Docket